



A cream of tartar baking powder Highest of all in leavening strength—Latest United States Government Food Report.

Royal Baking Powder Company, 106 Wall Street, New York.

James Gordon Bennett.

Only a few weeks ago the name of James Gordon Bennett disappeared from the editorial columns of the New York Herald, to the surprise of everybody. Then came the news that the eccentric though brilliant proprietor had decided to take the property in the hands of a close corporation, himself being the principal owner, with trusted employees interested with him—all to prevent litigation in case of his death. As if to prove the precaution well taken, a few days ago he met with a severe accident while coaching, and now the gravest fears are entertained for his recovery. The present Bennett was born in New York in 1841, and he is the only son of the Herald's founder, and until now has been its sole proprietor since his father's death. He has never married. He has lived abroad almost constantly for years, yet manages the Herald with a mastery hand.

Do You Want Money?

I have lately taken the agency for the D. S. Baker estate for loaning money on real estate in Umatilla county. Those contemplating securing loans will do well to call on me. Besides making loans as cheap or cheaper than any one else, I can assure you prompt action and less red tape.

W. T. GILMAN.

Pay up.

All parties knowing themselves indebted to me, are notified to come forward and settle without delay.

Jan. 1st ff. N. A. MILLER.



A SPECIAL OFFER!

The above is a correct picture of THE OREGONIAN'S NEW BUILDING, located at the corner of Sixth and First streets. For many years THE OREGONIAN has felt the need of a new and commodious building embracing all the modern improvements, with the latest improved machinery for turning out a metropolitan paper. It now has it, and one that the whole Pacific Coast may justly feel proud of, as it is certainly the finest on the coast. Now that THE OREGONIAN is settled in this new home it feels like giving its many friends a benefit. It takes this special offer to those who renew their subscription, or to those who subscribe prior to September 1st, to read the

Weekly Oregonian

18 Months for \$2.00

This being the full season of the year, THE OREGONIAN believes a benefit of this kind will be greatly appreciated. Please send in your subscription as soon as possible. When visiting Portland you are cordially invited to call and take a trip through our new home. Address: OREGONIAN PUBLISHING CO., PORTLAND, OR.

Purify Your Blood!

DR. GRANT'S SYRUP OF WILD GRAPE

CURES

Scorfula, Rheumatism, Sore Eyes, Fever, Sore Throat, Syphilitic Affections of the Skin, Throat and Bones.

Prepared by

W. F. R. Warrant & Company,

Per Sale by P. M. Kirkland Pioneer Drug Store.

CITY AND COUNTY.

A Full Resume of News—Local Personal and Otherwise.

Circuit Court adjourned Saturday evening.

Chas. Sharp was in Pendleton Monday on business this week.

Getting warmer, someone says. Don't know whether it is or not.

Have you seen that silverware Hollis is giving away to his customers.

The Knapp Burrell house has received two new threshers, both of which are sold.

Only the purest and freshest drugs used in Prescriptions at the Pioneer Drug Store.

The Athena Band has been engaged to play in Pendleton on the fourth. Go with the boys.

Hewitt uses nothing but pure, fresh drugs in filling prescriptions. Take your prescriptions to him.

Wm. Post took the oath of office as deputy marshal and entered upon his duties as night watchman Tuesday evening.

The picnic given by the Adams people at Cayuse Station last Saturday was largely attended. All who were there report having had a good time.

Frank Parkyn, of Adams accompanied by his wife and mother-in-law left last Wednesday on a visit to Lostine, Wallawa county going by team across the mountains.

J. W. White has become associated with Charles Beale in the meat market business at Pendleton. Mr. White followed the same occupation at Athena for several years.

J. N. B. Gerking, W. H. H. Scott, Otis Gerking, Jas. Scott, and Mr. Potroff left on Monday on a few days fishing excursion along Meacham creek and the Umatilla.

Irving McQuary, formerly editor of the Press, received an Edison Phonograph from Washington, D. C., Saturday morning, and is now grinding sweet strains of music from it.

Lee Mitchell, we are sorry to learn, has been confined to his room for several days with a very painful swelling of one of his feet. He fears it is white swelling, he having had an attack of that disease once before.

W. J. Wilkinson and A. D. Blue have returned from Mission where they have just completed a warehouse for the Pacific Coast Elevator Co. The house is 188 feet long by 56 feet wide with 16 feet walls. The company has also a platform 300 feet long at the same station.

Dr. Moffitt, who is now treating Mrs. Alex McRae, of Walla Walla tells us that Mrs. McRae is in a very critical condition. The Walla Walla physicians decided she could not recover without having an operation performed; but Dr. Moffitt hopes to relieve her without an operation.

Jesse, 12-year-old son of B. W. Levens, of Baker City, while near the railroad track, observed three freight cars and a caboose running wild toward Haines, and given an acceleration of speed by a stiff wind blowing from the south. In an instant the boy caught on to the rear car and threw on brakes, bringing them to a standstill after a short run.

Several saloons at Pendleton have quit using electric lights, and the Tribune says about 15 more will soon follow. A threat was made some time ago that if gambling was stopped the saloons would boycott the electric light company, and as they are the largest patrons of the company, it would cause the city in darkness.

An ice cream and strawberry festival will be given by the wives and daughters of members of Dolph Lodge at the Masonic Hall on the evening of July 1st. This will be the third supper given to the members of Dolph Lodge by these ladies, and, as they are always such pleasant and enjoyable affairs, we old bachelors look forward to this one with fond anticipation.

H. C. Grady, the newly appointed U. S. Marshal has the following deputies to serve under him: R. B. Beattie of Pendleton for this district, J. Fitzgerald of Marshalltown, Iowa, for the Portland district, H. R. Sibley of Pendleton to be clerk at Portland. Mr. Fitzgerald, it will be remembered, was formerly yardmaster of the Union Pacific yards here. Messrs Sibley and Beattie are well known Pendletonians.

Yesterday morning we were shown a very handsome banner of the Umatilla county Alliance. It is a large blue banner trimmed with gold fringe. It has a large star surrounded by the word Unity painted in the center, across the top are the words Umatilla County in gold letters, and the letters F. A. and I. U. in the same across the bottom. The banner was made by Mrs. John Froome and painted by Lane, the painter.

Put collars on your dogs.

Doe Mansfield was in Pendleton Wednesday.

Mrs. Foss and Mrs. Reeder visited friends in Milton Sunday.

An insane Italian was arrested in Pendleton yesterday for setting a barn on fire.

Dr. Moffitt was called to the country last Monday to attend Mrs. E. M. Reeder who is seriously ill.

Charley Barrett sold two headers and a mowing machine in less than an hour, Wednesday afternoon.

Pete Gaskell, who was recently released from jail, is working at the Fletcher mill on Linkton mountain.

P. M. Kirkland has on exhibition at the Pioneer Drug Store a jar of strawberries put up by the Antiferment process.

We are in receipt of a complimentary ticket to the grand vocal and instrumental concert given by Austin's Band at Helix.

Pendleton Tribune: Hugh McArthur and family came down from Athena last evening and will reside here permanently.

The Northern Pacific made another cut in rates, the new rate being for first class round trip to St. Paul for \$60 and to Chicago for \$70.20.

If you contemplate buying a header go and see the Plano steel header on the vacant lot east of the Pioneer Drug Store. This is the best header on the market, and they are going like hot cakes.

Farmers who are hauling wood from the mountains report very bad roads up there. E. Zimmerman and Cass Cannon were up the first of the week and each broke some part of his wagon before he got out with his load.

Mayor Hollis returned last Tuesday evening from Medical Lake where he went several days ago for recreation. He is much improved in health and appearance, and reports having had an excellent time hunting, fishing etc.

Owing to cold, frosty nights, reports come from Helix and other localities that grain in streaks seems to be lifeless. However, there is no general injury, and with favorable weather, Umatilla county will produce a large crop.

I am prepared to make headers, hay-racks, wood-racks, book-houses, door and window frames, screens, and in fact all kinds of job work at the lowest rates. Can be found at the Buckley Lumber Yard. S. A. MALONEY.

The jute factory is giving the state officials considerable trouble, and it is not likely that anything more than the erection of the building can be accomplished before the next session of the legislature.

Those persons who wondered what caused cashier Lively to step so high and look so pleased will be glad to learn that he was not drinking, but had just received a letter from Mrs. Lively stating that she expected to return about July the 4th.

Tribune: Rudolph Born was brought down from Camas Prairie yesterday and examined for insanity. He is twenty-nine years old and has lived a lonely and secluded life in Camas for years. He was adjudged insane and taken to Salem Monday night.

Dr. Geo. W. King has been appointed agent by the Amick Chemical Co. to handle the consumption cure. A ten days course of treatment is furnished free to any person who submits to examination and is found to have consumption. Treatment afterward will be furnished at \$20 per month.

Dan Gillis of the firm of Gillis Bros. of this place came over from Tacoma last Tuesday. Mr. Gillis has had charge of the N. P. Elevator Co's construction department for some time. He states that the company is not doing anything in his department now, and will do nothing until the receiver arrives from the east.

R. M. Powers will soon take charge of the post-office at Weston. L. S. Wood, present postmaster, has held his position ever since his appointment by President Hayes in 1876, and has always been considered one of the most accommodating and gentlemanly postmasters in the country. Many of the Weston people regret to see him retire.

The Pioneer Association meeting at Weston was larger than last year, the number of people in attendance Saturday numbered 2000. The following officers were unanimously elected for the ensuing term: William Steen, president; R. Jameson, vice-president; Frank Van Winkle, secretary; R. L. Price, treasurer; A. D. Leedy, historian. About 500 pioneers have registered since the association was organized. The following have died in the last year: Dr. W. C. McKay, of 1834; Mary Johns, of 1844; H. C. Vaughn, of 1848; M. V. Ward, of 1850; and Henry Bowman, of 1860.

Our hackmen did a thriving business during the Pioneer picnic at Weston, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. T. D. Harper left on last Wednesday's train to visit her parents in Whitman county, Wash.

Wm. Thompson has his new sprinkler at work on the streets. It is a beauty and does excellent work.

Miss Evalena Thompson arrived last Tuesday morning from Albany where she has been attending school for some time.

J. T. Watts left the first of the week on a prospecting tour through the Long Creek region and expects to be gone several weeks.

What's the matter with the mail service, for we got no Eagle or Leader this week. It may be they "struck" us from their lists.

Col. Parsons, editor of the Alliance Herald was in the city last Monday and made the Press a pleasant call. Come again Col.

There will be no preaching at the Christian church next Sunday, Elder Daisley being called to fill an appointment at Dixie, Wash.

Fred Rosenzweig was elected representative to the Grand Lodge of A. O. U. W., which meets in Portland July 19th 20th, and 21st.

Our new press has arrived and will soon be put in proper shape to do printing. We will be pleased to show it to our friends if they will call.

Any one desiring information on the leading issues of the day, or on the manner of conducting the democratic administration should call on T. D. Harper.

The Press will be moved this week to its new home over the First National Bank. The door with its latch-string out, will be at the top of the stairway. Come and see us.

F. J. Donaldson, an experienced druggist of Pendleton, has taken charge of the People's Pharmacy. Mr. Holt of the firm of King & Co., will retire, but the firm name will remain the same.

The A. O. U. W. will confer the first and second degrees on two new members to-morrow night. This lodge is now in a very prosperous condition, and is receiving new members nearly every meeting.

We are not likely to have a wood famine this year. C. W. Hollis is having about 1800 cords delivered from the mountains. T. D. Page has the contract of hauling it, and his teams bring in about 40 cords per day.

N. E. Mathews, one of the genial clerks at C. W. Hollis's, contemplates taking quite an extensive trip across the Columbia River, and through the Horse Heaven country. He will start some time next week.

There is a month's delay in Camas prairie crop weather, and farmers are just finishing seeding. Another rain will be needed to insure a good harvest. Wild grasses are luxuriant, and mountain range better than for years.

Edward Kitson, the young man who shot Nick Ghangran on the reservation last week went to Pendleton Tuesday morning and gave himself up to the sheriff. This was on the good advice of his father. His trial will be next Tuesday.

Pat Maxwell returned last Wednesday from Portland where he went several weeks ago to receive medical treatment. Pat, we are glad to say, has about recovered, and says he does not think he will have to return for further treatment.

John Fisher was down from the mountains one day this week. He reports cold weather up there, with frost nearly every night. Last Monday morning they had ice an inch thick. This is quite a contrast to the hot weather in some of the eastern states.

J. B. Smith of Portland, Or., was in this city this week looking for a business location. He expresses himself as well pleased with Athena, and will probably locate here if he can secure a suitable building. Mr. Smith says he has been traveling for about three months looking for a location and that Athena is the first town he has seen in which there were no vacant buildings for rent.

E. DePeat, Athena's leading attorney, has been solicited by the committee to deliver an oration at Pendleton the 4th of July. But we are sorry to learn that, on account of business which requires his attention, he cannot accept. A number of people from Athena will attend the celebration at Pendleton, and doubtless many more would go if they knew that Judge DePeat would deliver the oration.

Lew Shaw received a present from his mother the other day of which is justly proud, and well he might be for its nothing less than a sword used by his father during the late war. His father wore it from 1862 to 1865, and after returning home, kept it until his death which occurred last all.

John A. Gross a well known farmer of Helix neighborhood was in town yesterday. Mr. Gross tells us that the crop prospects were never better in his community there being plenty of moisture in the ground yet, but a good rain would be welcome as it would insure good crops.

The Plano Binder is the only binder on the market having a fly-wheel attachment. It is not a picked-up machine and it is not a cheap machine. It is sold by Kelso Bros. Athena, Ore. W. E. Clark manager.

John Schroeder a promising farmer of the Cold Spring country was in town yesterday purchasing goods. This gentleman is naturally tributary to Pendleton but finds that he can do better by coming to Athena to trade.

The Globe Democrat rises to remark that the man who gets the chairmanship of the ways and means committee in the new congress will be lucky if he does not break his political neck.

Contractor Ashbaugh is progressing rapidly with the construction of the new school house. The foundation is finished and the brick walls are raising as if by magic.

The many friends of Mr. McLean, the expressman, are sorry to learn that he is seriously ill. We hope though that he will soon be around again.

The New York Herald has figured the cost of the Sherman law in the depreciation of stocks during the past year at \$700,000,000.

The rain yesterday means thousands of dollars in the pockets of Umatilla county farmers.

The Athena ball team goes to Walla Walla Sunday to play the garrison club.

Those Trout.

There were several of our young bloods who went on a fishing excursion on last Sunday to the Umatilla River who had very fair success in the size of their fish but the number of their catch was very limited, but this did not dampen their ardor at all as they report a very good time all around, and, judging by the size of their larder when they left town and the difference on returning, they were good hearty eaters. They report that they accidentally ran across a couple of young men also from town who were calculating on catching some minnows for a day's good fishing, (evidently at some other place) but for some reason they abandoned the said trip and concluded that they would return home and call the result their morning work, trout; and they reported that they had caught 150 large trout, and when in the course of their conversation they accidentally let the top of their basket get opened, they were astonished that such "Sports" as they claimed to be would have the audacity to call such minnows as they really were "nice trout" for there was only one in sight that would have measured more than two or two and a half inches long.

The Weston School.

At a regular meeting of the board of directors of the Weston public schools the following teachers were selected for the ensuing term of seven months, commencing on the first Monday in September: Principal, C. B. Leatherman; assistant principal, Ella Degraff; first intermediate, Carrie L. Epple; second intermediate, Edith Gwinde; third intermediate, Ada Degraff; primary department, Cleo Beeler.

Prof. Leatherman was principal of the Athena school one year. We predict a successful term for the Weston public school, if C. B. will accept a seven months term. But we doubt if he will do this.

A "Camp" Instituted.

Columbian encampment No. 33, I. O. O. F., was instituted Tuesday evening at Adams by E. E. Sharon, special deputy grand patriarch, assisted by F. H. Sutherland and J. M. Kelley, of Umatilla encampment, and C. W. Lynn, of Lilley encampment. There are eight charter members, and the following officers were elected and installed: J. E. Stanfield, C. P.; G. E. Morrison, S. W.; T. H. Fertig, H. P.; J. E. Hales, P. W.; C. H. Allen, scribe; Thos. Kelsay, treasurer; Frank Baker, I. S.; A. B. Rothrock, O. S.

Down Still Lower.

The Northern is still slashing at its passenger rates in response to the Great Northern's cut. A still further reduction has been made, and the rate from Pendleton to eastern points is now as follows for first-class limited tickets: St. Paul, \$20; St. Louis, \$35; Chicago, \$36.00. This is considerably lower than the second class fare which has not been reduced. Thus a man can buy a first-class ticket to Chicago for \$10 less than a second-class ticket. For once a great corporation has given the "poor man a chance."

Mutton every Saturday at the C. K. meat market.

COPPER RIVETED OVERALLS AND LEVI STRAUSS & CO'S SPRING BOTTOM PANTS EVERY PAIR GUARANTEED.

A Surprise Party.

The surprise party given Ruby Callender, by her young friends in honor of her thirteenth birthday day, was an enjoyable affair. The fore part of the evening was passed in social games and charades, at half past eight o'clock delicious ice cream was served, after which the young people fixed on the donkey's tail for which prizes were awarded Miss Nellie Blue winning the first a pretty handkerchief and Master Turner Callender carried off the "booby" prize, a bunch of chewing gum. Miss Ruby received many pretty gifts and her hearty congratulations of her young friends who when departing wished her many happy returns of the day.

In the Hands of a Receiver.

We are informed that the Northern Pacific Elevator Co. has been placed in the hands of a receiver. The bank of Montreal has attached all the Company's elevators in Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Dakota, and Minnesota for the sum of \$700,000. It is stated the company's plant is worth a million dollars and that they have on hand several million bushels of wheat. Their embarrassment is only temporary and will soon be adjusted.

Got Their Money.

The Indians on the reservation received their money yesterday from the interior department. This money is the interest on the receipts from the sale of reservation lands two years ago, and amounts to about \$25,000. This will be divided among about 1000 Indians, male and female, adults and children. The effect of \$25,000 being put in circulation at this period of hard times will be felt in a short time and money will be more plentiful for awhile.

Takes it Mildly.

While Mr. Small's failure to secure the recognition sought, says the Baker City Democrat, of which Mr. Small is one of the editors, is a disappointment, he has made a good fight and that his papers on file in Washington are of such a character as to fully show the high esteem in which he is held by the party leaders in the state, and in the falling of the plum to Mr. Robbins it could not have been given to a more worthy young man. Mr. Robbins is capable, efficient and honorable, and while Mr. Small was not lucky enough to capture the prize he certainly will feel that his next choice was the selection of Mr. Robbins.

A Bao Accident.

A team of horses became frightened at a lantern tied under a wagon and they backed a hack off an embankment, near the bridge in the vicinity of the Dufur mills, in Wasco county, containing John Stephens, Mrs. Stansbury, of Portland, Mrs. E. P. Saleh, Mrs. A. J. Dufur, Mrs. T. W. Slusher, Mrs. Dufur and Mrs. Saleh got out of the wagon and attempted to hold the wheels and prevent the wagon and its occupants from going over the embankment, which was about eight or ten feet high with four feet of water below. The two ladies were unsuccessful, but were unable to get out of danger's way and were dragged with the vehicle into the creek. The wagon in falling turned completely over and buried Mrs. Stansbury beneath it. The whole party escaped with their lives, but Mrs. Stansbury and Mr. Stephens are suffering from bleeding from the lungs since.

Header Bed Lumber!!!

A car load of header bed lumber for sale at Helix Lumber Yard.

At Last.

How to preserve milk, butter, eggs and all kinds of fruits in their natural freshness without cooking. Ladies inquire at the Pioneer Drug Store.

The Old Brick.

Hard times makes money rare so visit your old friend Pioneer Drug Store. Check the cheapest.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

See the new back gallery painted by the time to come weather.

The Assessment.

Assessment blanks have been nearly all turned in for Umatilla county precincts, except Mountain, Encampment, Weston and Juniper, where the work is just starting. Assessor Brannin has been confined to office work by reason of sickness in his family, and has been delayed somewhat, but expects to have everything completed in time for the state board of equalization meeting, which convenes August 28, a month earlier than usual. At the office checking up has been industriously in progress, and much of the work is ready to go on the roll. In order to form some idea of the result of the assessment, Mr. Brannin added the assessment of 100 taxpayers, taken alphabetically, in Alta and McKay precincts. Very little increase in valuation is shown, but the 100 men will this year pay on \$126,280, as against \$68,070 last year, by reason of the recent legislation.

A Serious Accident.

Sunday morning a party of fishermen left Pendleton for McKay creek to enjoy a day's fish. The party consisted of Douglas Phay, Chas. Eppinger, Harry Bickers, D. S. Hutchinson, Frank McCoy, and F. M. Humphrey. They had nearly reached their destination near the Blue Mountain reservoir and were going along a steep bank when the horses became frightened and ran off the grade, taking the back with them. Some of the men jumped out and were not hurt, but the rest were thrown head long down the bank and sustained some slight bruises except Mr. Humphrey who was quite seriously hurt. He was taken to Al Vogel's place and Dr. Smith was sent for. Mr. Humphrey was brought to town and is now doing well and will be around in a few days.

Grain Prospects.

East Oregonian.

Charles Marsh, who was in town from his Athena farm, says there is yet no evidence of any damage to grain in that locality.

W. A. Sample says that rain would be timely and welcome in Gold Spring.

Sol T. Wormley came down from Athena along the north side of the Wild Horse, and saw pretty grain fields the entire distance. Prospects have not lessened.

Dr. Morrow was called to Echo Wednesday. Down there grain reaches above the waist, has headed out and is filling nicely.

A. D. Leedy reports that unfavorable weather for two or three days past has rendered crop prospects somewhat problematical about Helix. The Helix bank has suspended in consequence, but that of Vanseley is withstanding a heavy pressure.

Tillamook Fire.

The business portion of Tillamook Oregon, was destroyed by fire Monday. The best portion of the town was burned. The dead claim which prevailed was all that saved the few remaining buildings, though many of them were badly damaged. Sunday night several shots were fired by unknown parties. In an instant the large double store of Wm. Olsen was on fire. All efforts to put it out were ineffectual. The house next door, owned by William Steinmetz, was burned to the ground. The wharf was partly burned.

Carden-Hayes

The marriage of Alfred Carden and Miss Carrie Hayes took place at the residence of the bride's father in Pendleton Sunday afternoon, Rev. W. W. Brannin officiating. A small number of relatives and friends of the bride and bridegroom were present and extended to them their heartiest congratulations and best wishes.

MARKET

LIVERPOOL, J demand poor. SAN FR. \$1.20@ N. 90.

See the new back gallery painted by the time to come weather. per than